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1. ☒ The amendment filed on 21 October 2010 under 37 CFR 1.312 has been considered, and has been:

- a) ☐ entered.
- b) ☒ entered as directed to matters of form not affecting the scope of the invention.
- c) ☐ disapproved because the amendment was filed after the payment of the issue fee.

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- d) ☐ disapproved. See explanation below.
- e) ☐ entered in part. See explanation below.

Applicant's amendment after notice of allowance consists of changes to the title of the instant application to recite language that more closely corresponds to the allowed claims. Examiner has fully considered the amendment to the title of the application and it is proper.

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